


# How to install Google authenticator on Centos/Ubuntu?

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The QR code generation feature is currently affected by the deprecation of the Google Image Charts API, which ceased operation on March 14, 2024. To address this, kindly [update](#) to Ezeelogin version 7.37.5 .

1. Add the EPEL repo


```
root@localhost:~ https://dl.fedoraproject.org/pub/epel/epel-release-latest-7.noarch.rpm
```




2. Install Google Authenticator

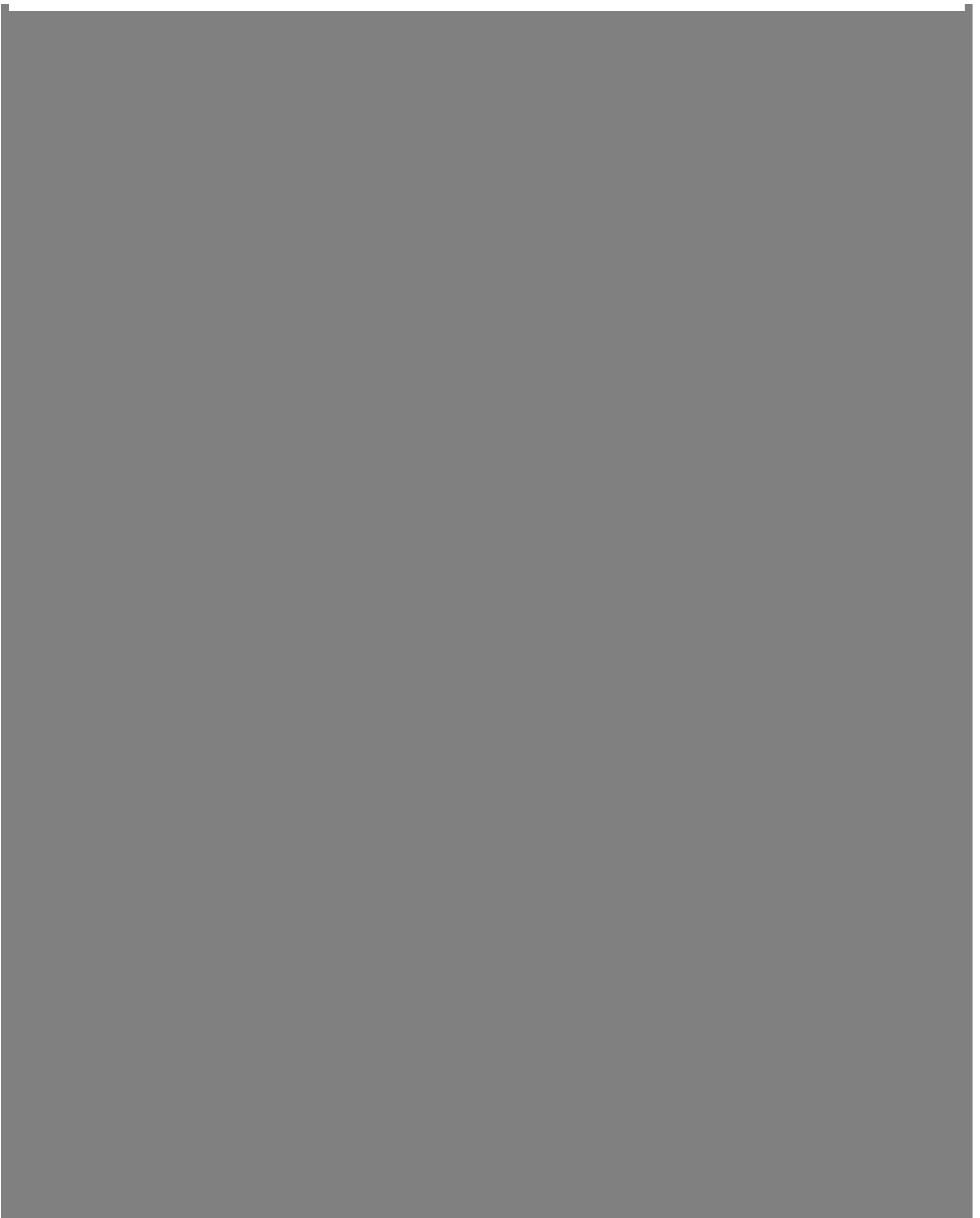


3. Run the initialization app.



4. After you run the command, you'll be asked a few questions.






## 5. Configure openssh (SSHD)



Scroll down to the bottom of the file and add the following line:



6. Edit the SSH configuration file



Enable 2-factor Challenge Response Authentication:



#### 7. Restart SSHD service



Online URL:

<https://www.ezeelogin.com/kb/article/how-to-install-google-authenticator-on-centos-ubuntu-323.html>